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ABC Revokes License of Grover's Bar in Bay Point

Bay Point – ABC Investigators today posted a Notice of Revocation at Grover's Bar located at 2445 Willow Pass Road in Bay Point.

The license was revoked because ABC Investigators along with Contra Costa County Sheriff's Deputies completed a three month investigation in 2006 that involved purported stolen property and illegal narcotics transactions at the licensed premises. The Contra Costa County Sheriff's Department was a participant in ABC's Grant Assistance Program (GAP) for year 2005-2006. This operation was a combined effort between both agencies as a result of the grant program.

Investigators arrested three individuals for illegal activity at Grover's Bar, 2445 Willow Pass Road, Bay Point back in July, 2006. The licensee of Grover's Bar was arrested for receiving purported stolen property, and a bar patron was arrested for possession and sale of cocaine.

ABC along with the Contra Costa County Sheriff's Department initiated the investigation due to heightened concern about this location in the community. ABC investigators went undercover multiple times to develop information that led to the arrests.

ABC is a department of the Business, Transportation and Housing Agency, which is under the direction of Secretary Dale E. Bonner, a member of the Governor's Cabinet